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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: K. Ikemoto et al.

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MANUFACTURING METHOD

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

SIR:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

TITLE:

Please replace the Title with the following:

LOW-RESISTANCE RESISTOR AND ITS MANUFACTURING **METHOD**

SPECIFICATION:

Applicants are submitting a "marked up" copy of the specification which shows the portions of the original specification which are being added and deleted. Additions have been indicated by underlining and deletions have been indicated between brackets.

The enclosed Substitute Specification includes the same changes as are indicated in the marked up copy of the original specification showing additions and deletions. Furthermore, the enclosed Substitute Specification includes no new matter. Thus, acceptance of the Substitute Specification is respectfully requested.